

25358 - Modern languages I (French)

Syllabus Information

Academic year: 2023/24

Subject: 25358 - Modern languages I (French)

Faculty / School: 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras

Degree: 272 - Degree in Journalism

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 2

Semester: First Four-month period

Subject type: Basic Education

Module:

1. General information

The overall goal of this subject is to achieve the student's linguistic competence in the French language.

To do so, they will have to put into practice, in a cross-cutting manner, the knowledge acquired, acquire new linguistic and cultural knowledge, and know how to apply it in various situations. Students are expected to master the French language (B2), developing skills and strategies that will enable them to later face the fields of specialization in which they will perform their profession.

Knowledge of this subject will pay attention to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the 2030 Agenda of United Nations. The acquisition of the learning results of the subject can contribute to the achievement of: Goal 4: Quality Education.

Goal 5: Gender Equality.

Goal 10: Reduction of Inequalities

Goal 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

Goal 17: Alliances to Achieve goals.

2. Learning results

The learning results derive directly from the acquisition of the following competencies:

- Be fluent in a modern spoken and written language with fluency and autonomy at a B2 level.
- Understand oral and written texts in the relevant modern language and be able to transmit and respond to them at a level equivalent to B2 (European convergence).
- Write grammatically correct and culturally relevant journalistic articles in the relevant modern language, as well as equivalent activities in non-written.
- Interact with other journalists in the relevant modern language in person or through electronic or digital media at a level equivalent to B2 (European convergence).

3. Syllabus

Review

Adjectives

Pronouns

Verbs

Adverbs

Connectors

Speech told in the present and past tense

Activities:

Description of people, objects, spaces, etc.

Writing an event

Making an exhibition

Participate in a discussion

Writing an argumentative text

Submit a project

Write a letter

Communicative objectives:

Express an opinion

Generate and structure a debate

Telling a story

Express cause, consequence, condition, hypothesis, concession, opposition, etc.

4. Academic activities

By starting from a prior knowledge of the French language of the students, theoretical explanations will focus mainly on questions of grammatical construction from a practical point of view.

Learning activities

Activities of a collective and individual nature, in which grammatical issues will be addressed, but very especially communication situations in order to achieve the goals set. Among them:

Translation of journalistic texts of various kinds, Writing of articles, short texts, commentaries ... Exercises of reading and comprehension of documents in French. Visualization and commentary of French news programs. Public exhibitions of projects and works.

5. Assessment system

First call

Global assessment.

It consists of five parts:

- 1) Test with questions corresponding to the grammatical, lexical and discursive contents of the subject (20%).
- 2) Listening comprehension test (20%).
- 3) Written comprehension test (20%)
- 4) Written expression test (20%).
- 5) Oral test (20% of the final grade) consisting of a monologue and an interaction.

Assessment criteria:

Correctness of answers and knowledge of the linguistic structures studied

Ability to understand the main points of oral and written texts on familiar subjects, whether related to work, study or daily life related to work, study or daily life;

Content (60%): state of the question and definition and relationship between theoretical concepts (20%), application of the methodology (20%), analysis and results derived from the methodological application and synthesis of the conclusions reached (20%).

It is a sine qua non condition to obtain a minimum grade of 4 in each of the tests in order for them to be averaged.

If the subject is not passed due to failure to achieve the minimum required in one or more of the five tests, this will be recorded as a grade for the exam session at : 4 FAIL. If none of them reaches a score equal to 5 out of 10, the numerical value of the grade will be the one resulting from the calculation of the average of the grades obtained.

Second Call

Global evaluation test identical to the first one.